

## MAKING ROOM FOR AMERICANS

(Correspondence Associated Press)  
RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, June 14.—North American ship owners are placing themselves and North American business concerns at a disadvantage with their European competitors here because their agents in this city are not actually representatives of United States concerns, according to the American Chamber of Commerce for Brazil.

This body recently appointed a committee under the chairmanship of Acting Consul General Hasselkorn to investigate the shipping situation as it affects North American business. The committee reported that by leaving to the discretion of ship captains the selection of agents, North American owners have been heavily overcharged for repairs and other necessities in this port and that eventually this expenditure falls on the shipper.

It is declared by the chamber that this condition is a vital weakness in the foreign trade development of the United States. As a remedy the recommendation is made that North American vessel owners either establish their own agencies or authorize the United States consul general to recommend agents not only in Brazil, but in all South American countries.

## BERRY GROWERS MAKE BIG MONEY

(By Associated Press)  
HONOLULU, July 26.—Prohibition indirectly produced an extraordinary condition in the strawberry market this year.

Prices were higher than ever before because a Chicago packing house secured what was said to be the finest fruit preserving plant in the world in the heart of the strawberry district of Delaware and east of Shore of Maryland and bought the product of great berry producing fields virtually without regard to cost to meet the tremendous demand for ice cream and soft drinks produced by the "dry" period.

Strawberries that normally sold for from five to ten cents a quart were snapped up at from thirty to thirty-five cents. The price to the consumer never went below thirty cents this season. Strawberry syrup for flavored soda water formerly sold at six to five cents a gallon is now quoted at \$2.50 a gallon.

Farmers are elated. Many of them made an average of \$1600 an acre on their strawberry crop and they are looking forward to big profits next year.

The packers, when the strawberry season was over, sent their employees to other work and closed the factory.

## ULTIMATUM OF A MISSOURIAN

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, July 25.—The president has promised to give earnest consideration to five reservations to the treaty of the league of nations presented to him by Senator Spencer, a Republican from Missouri. The senator told the president that these reservations must be made if the treaty be ratified. The reservations include a provision that the Shantung settlement be reconsidered and readjusted at the earliest possible time. Another expresses regret at the settlement. The senator said the president stated he thought he should be congratulated for what he did to secure a modification of Japan's original demands against Shantung.

## CLIMB A MOUNTAIN ON A MOTORCYCLE

(By Associated Press)  
SAN BERNARDINO, Cal., July 26.—Jack Fletcher and John E. Hogg announced here they had accomplished a ride on a two seated motorcycle to the top of Mount San Bernardino, commonly known as Mount Baldy, a lofty, snowcapped peak near here.

This height had been attained previously only by mountaineers afoot and with burros. The trail leading to the summit is seven and a half miles in length and very steep. In a single mile it rises 2000 feet by a series of zig-zags up a perpendicular cliff over a surface strewn with loose rocks and crumbled granite. Three hours and 42 minutes were

## WILL PAY OFF DEBT OF HONOR

(By Associated Press)  
WASHINGTON, July 25.—Under the plans of Republican leaders the peace treaty will be set aside temporarily for consideration of the treaty between the United States and Colombia proposing payment to Colombia of \$25,000,000 for damages the American acquisition of the Panama canal.

Chairman Lodge of the foreign relations committee, said the Colombian treaty would be considered by the committee next with plans for its immediate ratification by the senate. State department officials have urged this action.

## ARMY DOCTORS HELP SERBIANS

(Correspondence Associated Press)  
BELGRADE, Serbia, June 16.—Eighteen surgeons and physicians of the United States army medical and sanitary corps have cordially aided the Red Cross commission in medical and general relief work in Serbia and the medical work of the commission has been directed by Lieut. Col. Edgar E. Hume of the army medical corps of Frankfort, Ky.

Of the United States army men, Major Edward Stuart repaired and established hospitals in Belgrade and fought the typhus there when it threatened to become epidemic.

Captain Fred C. Davis fought typhus at Shabatz. Captain Walter E. Fox died of pneumonia at Semendria. Captain Herman Handling directed relief and dispensary work at Pirot. Lieutenant D. L. Austin and Roy G. Plotzer were assigned to the half wrecked city of Monastir where Plotzer established a bacteriological laboratory. Captain R. M. Blakely won the gratitude of the people of Tikveche in southeast Serbia.

Captain Morris R. Bradner, Lieut. Bernard M. Krug and Lieut. William R. Aten of Warwick, N. Y., established at Prisrend a hospital orphanage, dispensaries and soup kitchen.

## HAWAIIANS GO BACK TO STRAWBERRY GROWING

(Correspondence Associated Press)  
HONOLULU, T. H., June 26.—Japanese strawberry growers of the Wahiawa district are planning to erect a cannery. Strawberries were first grown at Wahiawa 20 years ago by farmers from California, but the pioneers later turned to pineapples. In recent years Japanese revived the strawberry industry and it is expanding rapidly.

Borleson still sticks closer than a cottle.

required to reach the summit, which is 11,600 feet high.

## BAREFOOT ARMY WINNING WAR

(By Associated Press)  
PARIS, July 25.—Twenty thousand Russians, many barefoot, with rifles unsupported by heavy artillery compose the northern Russian army whose front from the Finnish coast to Phoskov which is driving back toward Petrograd the Bolshevik army four times as large according to reports from American relief administration officers. The army is clamoring for tanks promised by the Allies.

## MEXICAN STUDENTS SENT TO OTHER COUNTRIES

(Correspondence Associated Press)  
MEXICO CITY, July 8.—Indicative of an apparent expansive educational policy by the government is the fact that within the past few weeks arrangements have been made for an interchange of students between the National University of Mexico and well known educational institutions in some other countries. Such an arrangement was recently made with the University of Arizona in the United States and it is said that plans have been made for a mutual interchange with the governments of San Salvador, Chile, Nicaragua and Cuba.

Even the federal government has become just a bit weary of trying to repeal the law of supply and demand.

## MEXICO SENDS CONSUL TO SCANDINAVIAN LANDS

(Correspondence Associated Press)  
MEXICO CITY, July 8.—Jose M. de la Garza, a former president of the municipality of Mexico City, has been named by President Carranza as minister to Denmark, his duties also extending to Norway and Sweden. Senor Garza will reside in Copenhagen.

Referring to the commander of the big English dirigible, Great Scott!

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All creditors having claims against said estate are required to file the same, with proper vouchers attached, with the Clerk of the Court, within three months of the first publication of this notice.

CHAS. WILLIAMS, Administrator

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